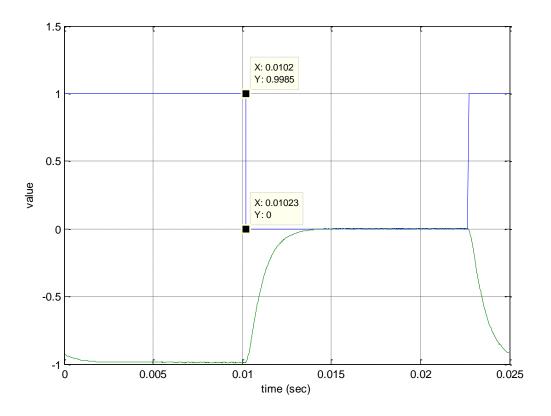
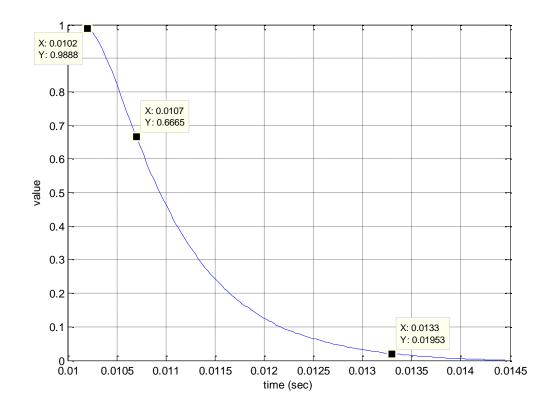
Original data series as recorded via DAQ:



Data after sub-setting and inversion of values:



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%-- 11/29/12 4:14 PM --%
y bkup=load('overdamped data.dat');
plot(y bkup(:,1),y bkup(:,2:3))
ysub=0;
%ysub=y bkup(409:579,:,:);
y=[ysub(:,1),-ysub(:,3)];
figure(2)
plot(y(:,1),y(:,2))
global y
x0=[0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1];
[xfinal, fval, y est]=mhk overdamped curve fit n matlab3a(x0,y);
figure(3)
plot(y(:,1),y(:,2),'o',y(:,1),y_est,'--','LineWidth',2)
x0adjusted=[1,-1000,1,-6667,0];
[xfinal,fval,y est]=mhk overdamped curve fit n matlab3a(x0adjusted,y);
figure (4)
plot(y(:,1),y(:,2),'o',y(:,1),y est,'--m','LineWidth',4)
% save('ysubset3col_new.dat','ysub','-ascii','-tabs');
% save('ysubset2fit_new.dat','y','-ascii','-tabs');
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% System Dynamics curve-fit algorithm using 'fminsearch' in MATLAB
% Mark H. Kempski, PhD. Last modified: March 11, 2011 early PM
% Actual data must exist in the workspace as a 2-D array 'y'
  where the 2-D array is predisposed to
       y(:,1) = time vector and
        y(;,2) = data vector to be fit
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% The fit uses the initial guess vector 'x0', where
% x0(1) = A, x0(2) = B, etc.
% represent parameters in the output estimate eqn:
        y = A^* exp(B^*(t-t0)) + C^* exp(D^*(t-t0)) + E
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%Copy & paste the following line to run in workspace:
% [xfinal,fval,y est]=mhk overdamped curve fit n matlab3a(x0,y);
%For easy plotting cut & paste:
   plot(y(:,1),y(:,2),'o',y(:,1),y_est,'--','LineWidth',2)
function [xfinal, fval, y est vector] = ...
    mhk overdamped curve fit n matlab3a(x0,y)
clc
global y
t=y(:,1);
data=y(:,2);
options = optimset('Display', 'final', 'TolFun', 1e-8);
[x,fval,exitflag,output]=fminsearch(@mhk eqn estimate,x0,options);
xfinal=x;
A=x(1);
B=x(2);
C=x(3);
D=x(4);
E=x(5);
y est vector=A^* \exp(B.*(t-t(1))) + C^* \exp(D.*(t-t(1))) + E;
return
function f=mhk eqn estimate(x)
% NOTE: here the vector 'x' contains the parameters to be optimized
% where for example: x(1)=A, x(2)=B, in the eqn y=A*\exp(B*t)+C*\exp(D*t)+E
global y
t=y(:,1);
data=y(:,2);
A=x(1);
B=x(2);
C=x(3);
D=x(4);
E=x(5);
y est vector=A^* \exp(B.*(t-t(1))) + C^* \exp(D.*(t-t(1))) + E;
sq variance vector=(data-y est vector).^2;
f=sum(sq variance vector);
return
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